

The New Hire is the Demon Lord.

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N-NO...







...TO SURPASS
LEONARD'S
RECORD...

...AND LAUNCH
MY HEAD INTO
THE SUN!



BOOM



LAHAN!!!





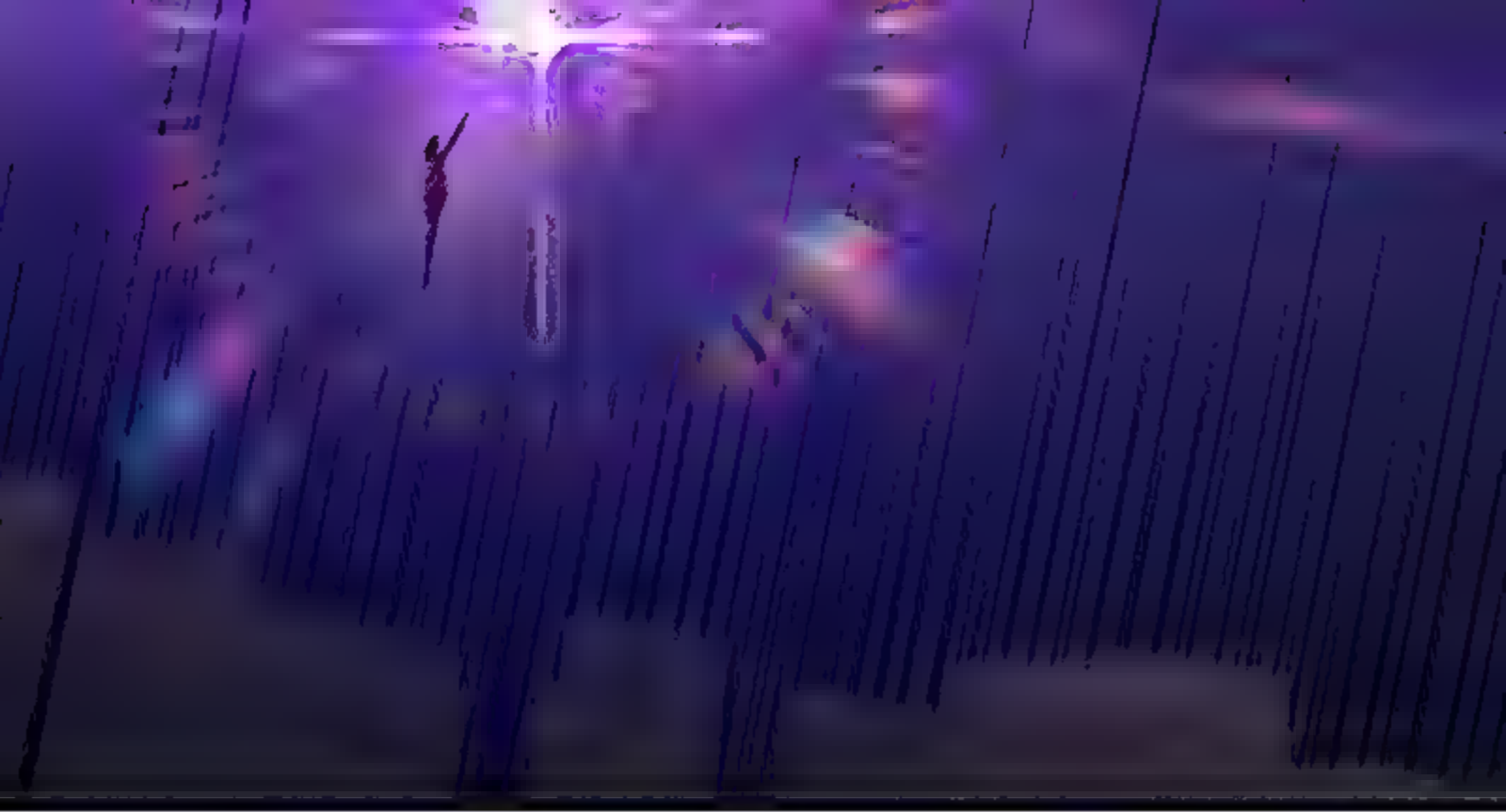
DULLAHAN...

SHE'S GOING
TO BLAST HER
OWN HEAD!



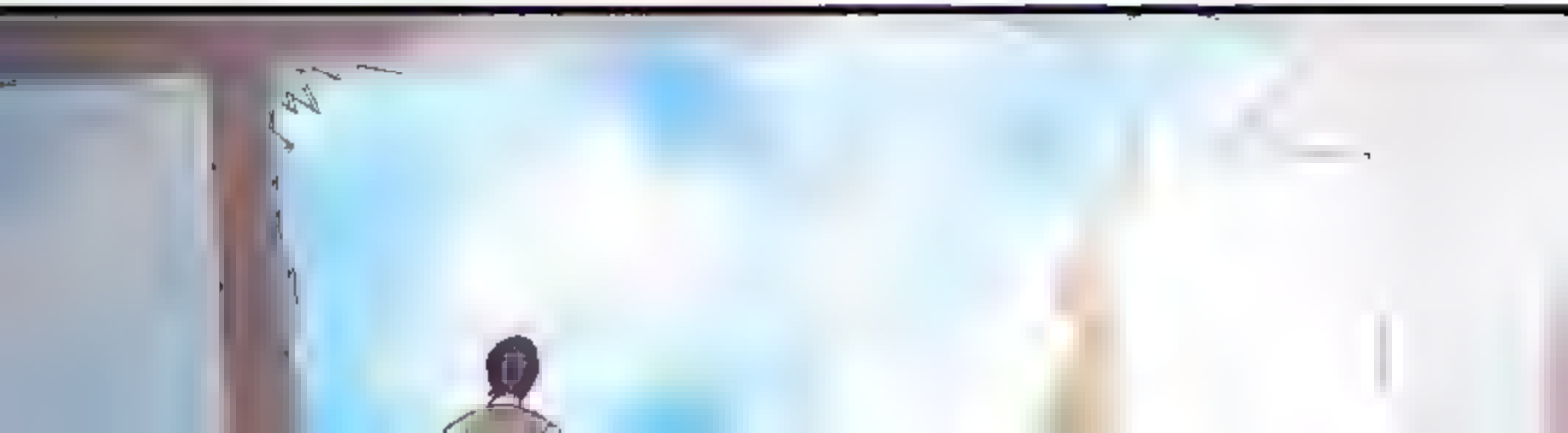






FIZZLE

RUMBLE





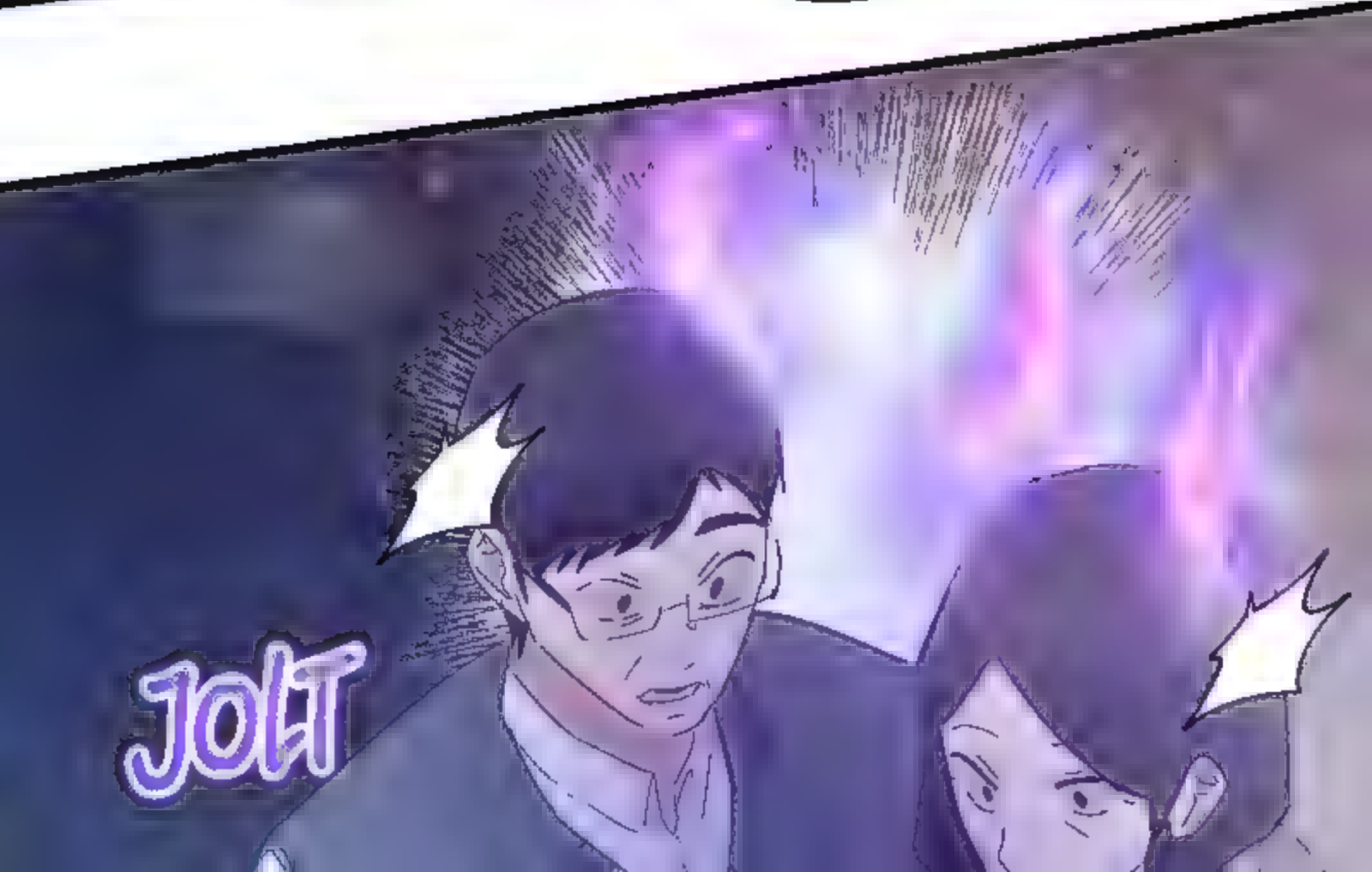
SHANA





SWISH







HUH...?
WHAT'S
GOING ON?





GASP 





WHAT?

MURMUR

OW, MY BACK...
WHAT HAPPENED?

HUH? WHY AM
I LYING ON THE
GROUND?

LAHAN,
WHAT DID
YOU...





DULLAHAN'S
MAGIC...

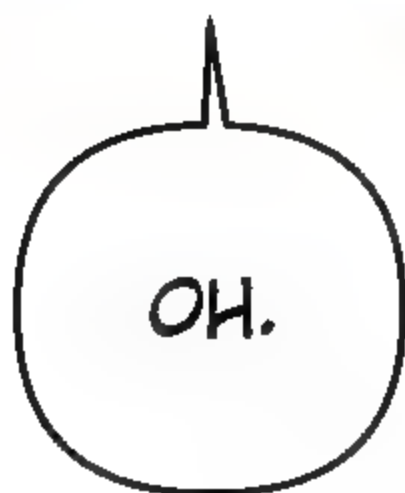
BZZZ





...COMPLETELY
DISAPPEARED FROM
THIS WORLD.





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HER
MAGIC...
I SEE.



SO SHE'S
NOT DEAD,
RIGHT?





THE REASON
BEINGS LIKE US CAN
LIVE FOR SO LONG IS
THANKS TO OUR
MAGIC.



WITHOUT IT,
SHE WOULD HAVE
DIED CENTURIES
AGO.



WHAT?!



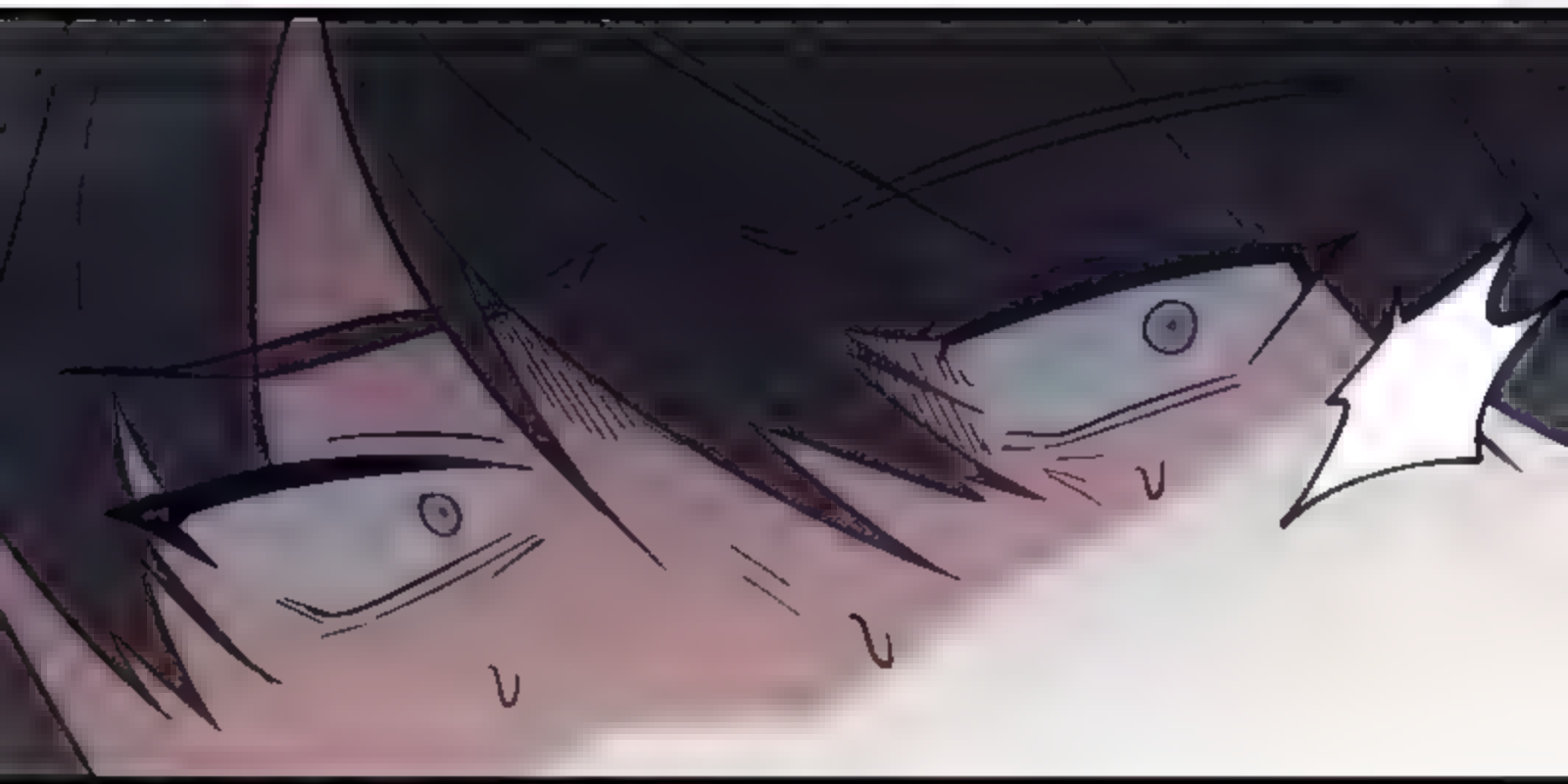
SO
LAHAN IS...

DON'T WORRY,
YENA! LAHAN CAN
DETACH HER HEAD
FROM HER BODY!

AND LOOK,
HER BODY IS
STILL FLOATING
OVER THERE!

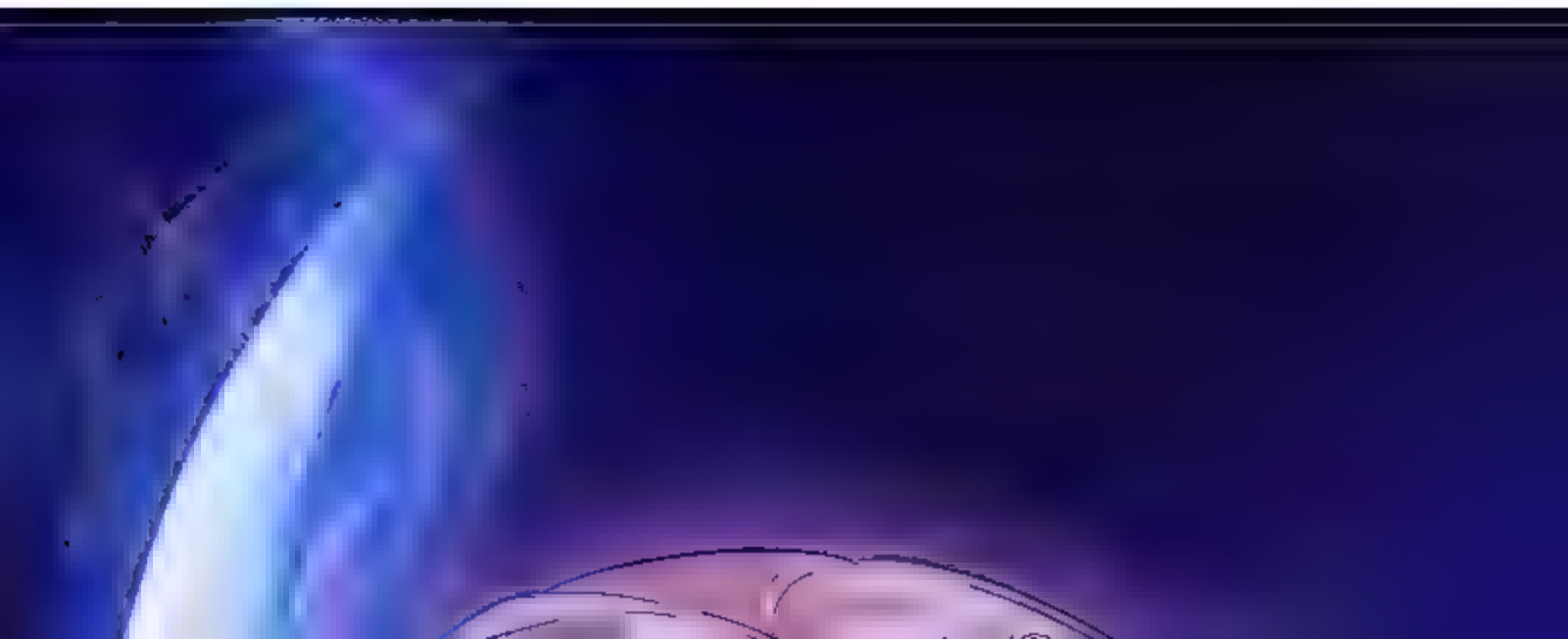


I'M THE ONE
HOLDING IT UP WITH
MY TELEKINESIS.





LEGEND
SAYS THAT
HORNS CAN ONLY BE
DESTROYED WITH
HORNS.





WHAT THAT
REALLY MEANS IS
THAT POWER CAN ONLY
BE EXTINGUISHED WITH
EQUAL POWER.



DULLAHAN USED
HER OWN POWER TO
KILL HERSELF

IN ORDER
TO SAVE
EVERYONE.

KILL HERSELF...



NO !

NO!!!







N-NO WAY...

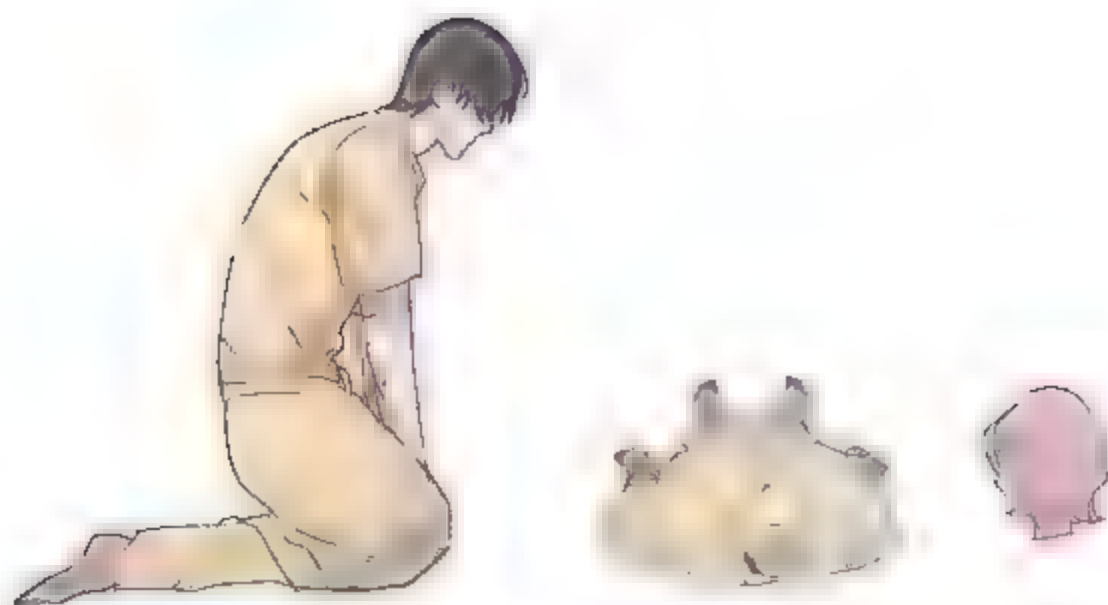
LAHAN...
WHY...?





WE STILL HAVE
SO MUCH TO DO
TOGETHER...

HOW COULD
YOU JUST LEAVE
LIKE THIS?





JUST WHEN
WE GREW
CLOSE...



C-CAN WE
BRING HER
BACK?!



THAT WOULD
REQUIRE SOME
OF DULLAHAN'S
OWN POWER...



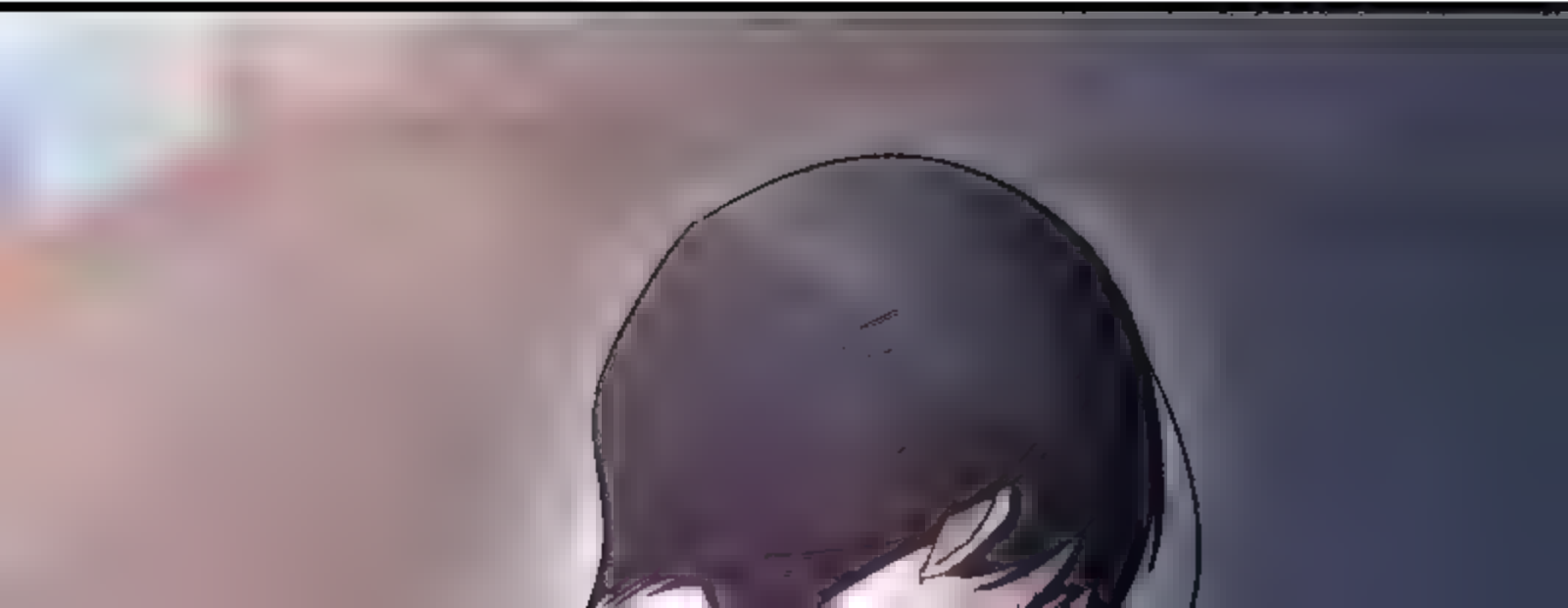


...BUT NOW THAT
IT'S COMPLETELY GONE
FROM THE WORLD,
THERE'S NOTHING
I CAN DO.

SOB



HIC





BZZT

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SHAAA

WH-WHAT IS
THAT THING...?



THERE'S
SOMETHING ABOUT
HIM THAT REMINDS ME
OF LAHAN...!





...THE HORSE
DULLAHAN RODE
AROUND?



THE
HORSE? COULD
THIS BE LAHAN'S
MOTORCYCLE?





BOW



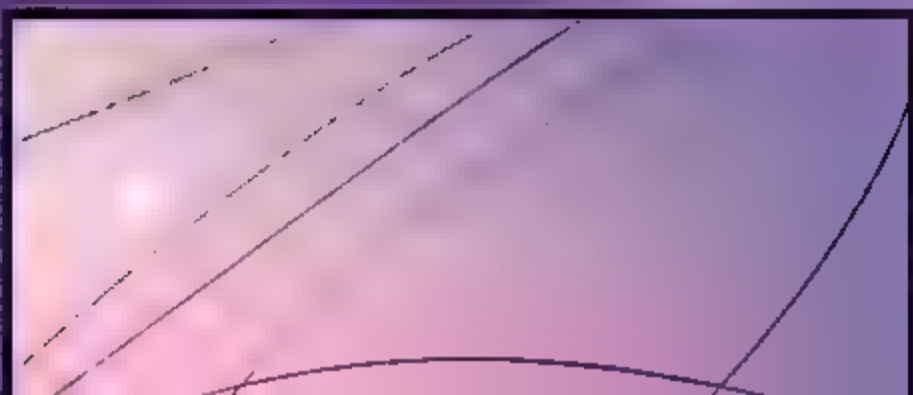


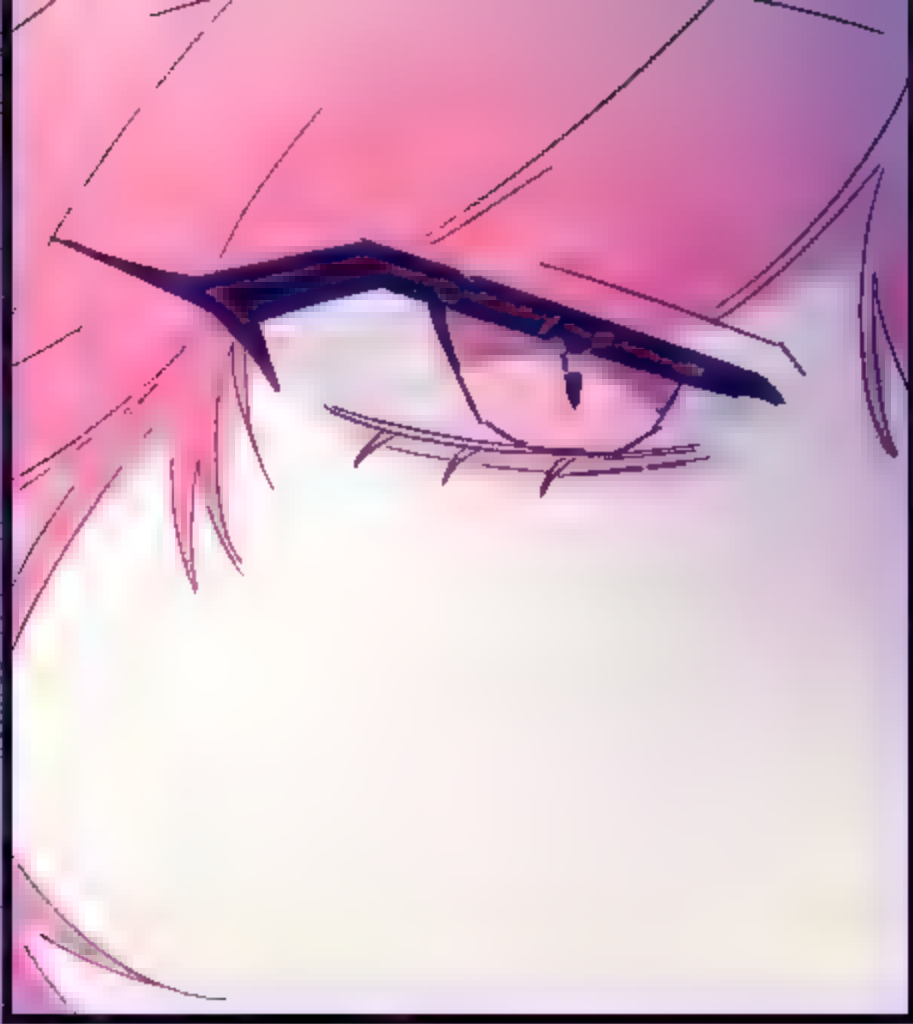
SHAAA





mmmm









GASP

LAHAN!





WH-WHAT
IS IT?! WHAT
HAPPENED?!

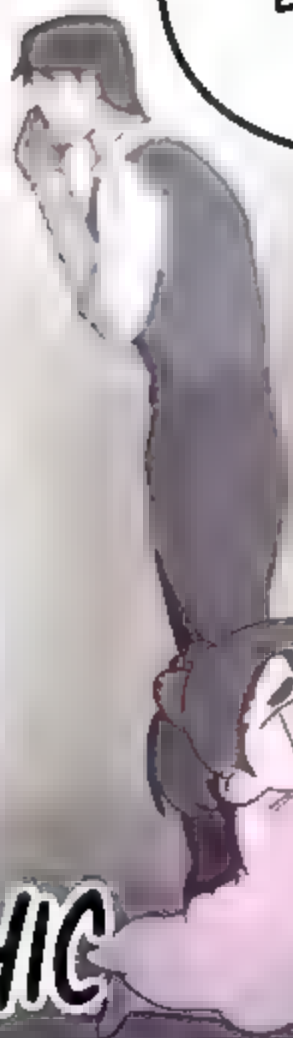
WE THOUGHT
YOU WERE REALLY
DEAD! I'M SO
GLAD YOU'RE
BACK...!

WAIL

I DID NOT DIE?!
BUT HOW...?

SOB

HIC



A woman with dark, shoulder-length hair and a surprised expression, looking slightly to the right. She is wearing a dark jacket over a light-colored top. The background is a soft, out-of-focus landscape with a warm, hazy glow.

IMPRESSIVE,
DULLAHAN.

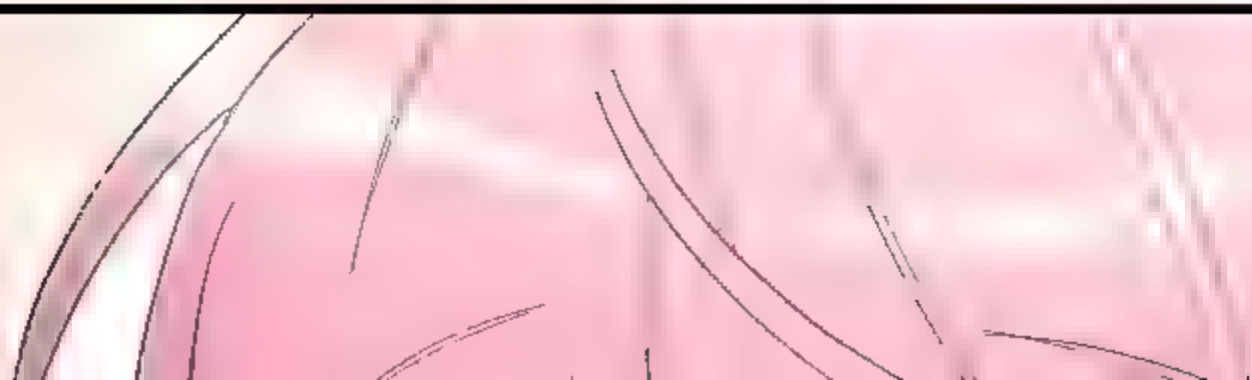
YOU HAD A
LAST RESORT READY
IN CASE YOU WERE
EVER KILLED.

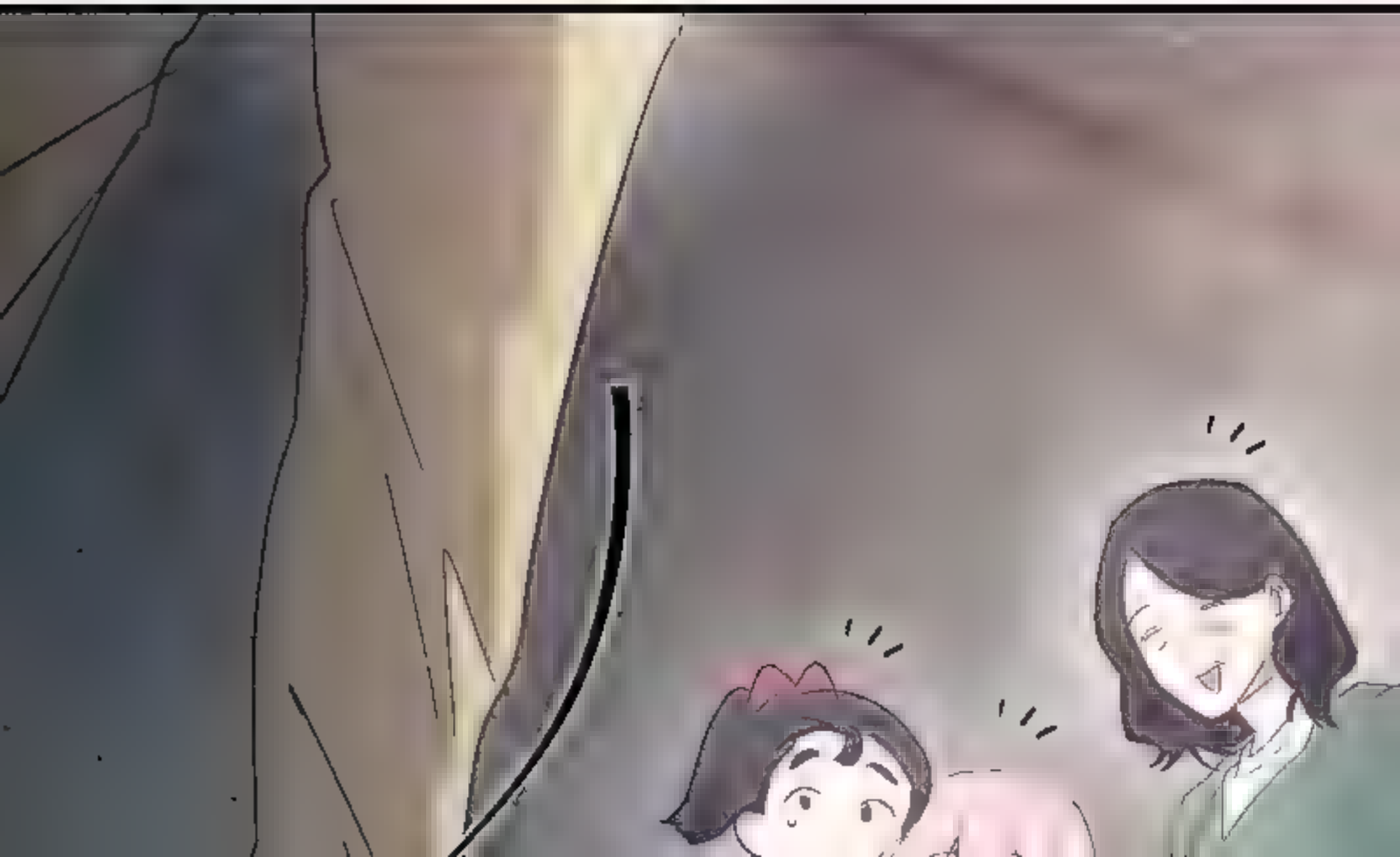
THE HORSE YOU
KEPT IN YONGRAE'S
BODY REVIVED YOU
BY SACRIFICING
ITSELF.

YOU
REALLY ARE THE
DEMON LORD, HUH?
THAT WAS VERY
STRATEGIC.



**THANK YOU,
VICTOR...**







WE SHOULD
GIVE THEM A
MOMENT.



YENA! WHAT
ARE YOU...



FLINCH

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I THOUGHT...

I THOUGHT I'D
NEVER GET TO SEE
YOU AGAIN!!!

WAAAH





HEY! ALL RIGHT.

ALL RIGHT... YOUR
TEARS ARE DRIPPING
ONTO MY FACE!

I AM
ALIVE NOW,
SO CHEER UP.
PLEASE?!

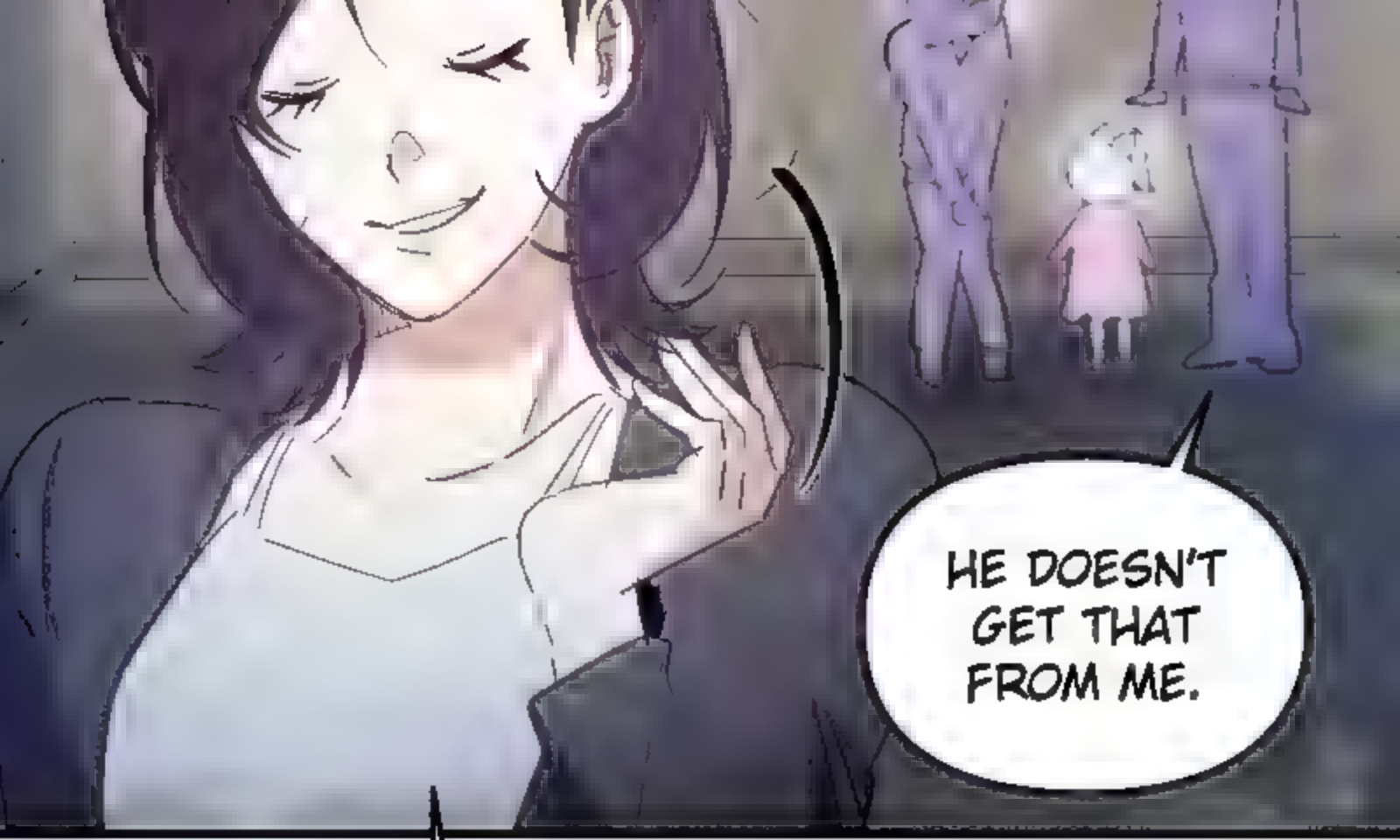
STOP CRYING
'ALREADY!'

HUH...

YONGRAE CRIES
JUST LIKE THIS KID
IN MY GRADE...

HE DOES
THAT.



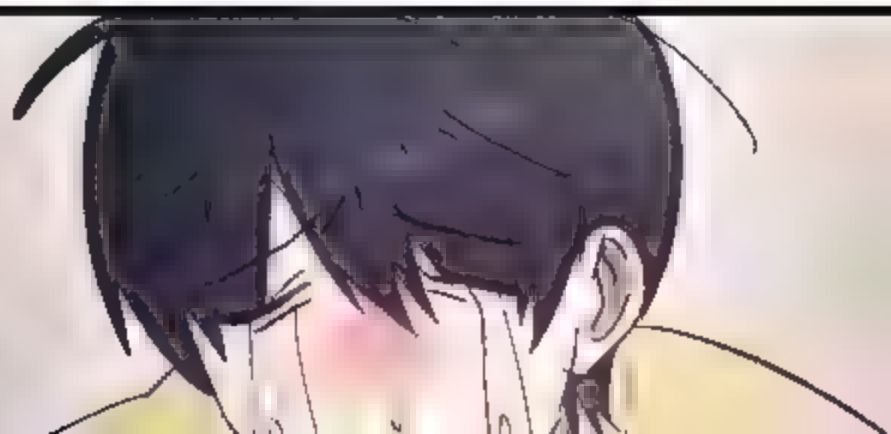


HE DOESN'T
GET THAT
FROM ME.

HOW
DOES IT FEEL
TO BE REBORN,
DULLAHAN?

NOW
THAT YOU BARELY
HAVE ANY MAGIC
LEFT AT ALL.

SNIFFLE





SOB

HIC

HA, I NEVER
WISHED FOR THAT
POWER IN THE
FIRST PLACE.

THANK YOU
FOR YOUR HELP,
BY THE WAY. I DID
NOT EXPECT YOU
TO BE SO KIND.

KIND, HUH?
I DON'T KNOW



I DON'T KNOW
ABOUT THAT.

SCOFF

WHAT WILL
YOU DO NOW?
IS THERE ANYTHING
YOU WANT TO DO,
NOW THAT YOU'RE
ALIVE AGAIN?



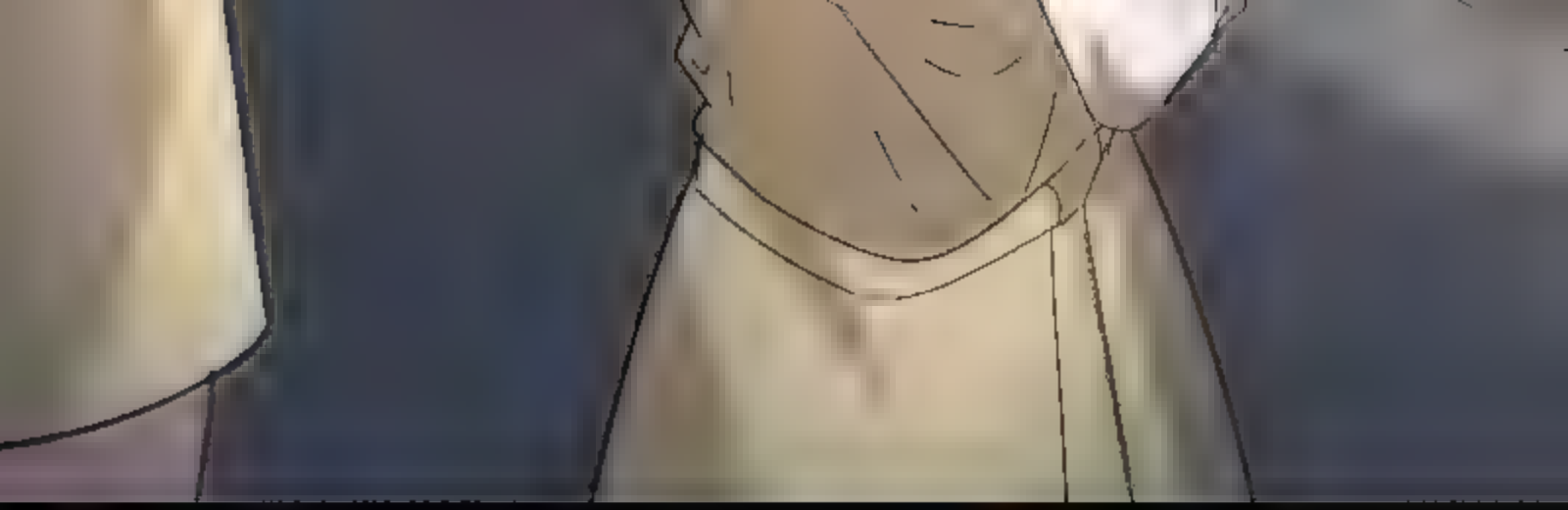


SOMETHING
I WANT TO DO...

YONGRAE, PLEASE
PUT MY HEAD BACK
ON MY BODY.

HUH?
RIGHT....!











The background of the image is a soft-focus photograph of pink cherry blossoms. The petals are delicate and light pink, with some green leaves visible. The lighting is bright and airy, creating a dreamy atmosphere. In the center of the image, there is a thought bubble with a pink-to-yellow gradient fill and a thin black outline. Inside the bubble, the text "IF I WERE TO BECOME HUMAN..." is written in a simple, black, sans-serif font, arranged in three lines.

IF I WERE
TO BECOME
HUMAN...





...THIS IS
WHAT I WISHED
TO DO...

WITH YOU.





LAHAN....!



PECK7





KISS

SMOOCH

AND SO...

KISS



SMOOCH

A comic book panel showing a cityscape with several tall buildings. The sky is a mix of orange and yellow, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. A speech bubble originates from the right side of the panel, pointing towards the center. Inside the speech bubble, there is a small icon of a hand with fingers spread, and the text 'WOULD YOU STOP THAT?!'. Above the speech bubble, the word 'SMOOCH' is written in a stylized, outlined font.

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A dramatic sky with orange and purple clouds, serving as the background for the top half of the page.

...THE DEMON LORD
DISAPPEARED.

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WISDOM HOUSE